

109TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. J. RES. 40

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States respecting  
the right to a home.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 5, 2005

Mr. RANGEL introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to  
the Committee on the Judiciary

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## JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United  
States respecting the right to a home.

1       *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2       *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*  
3       *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein),* That the fol-  
4       lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-  
5       stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all  
6       intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when  
7       ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several  
8       States within seven years after the date of its submission  
9       for ratification:

1 “ARTICLE —

2 “All citizens of the United States shall have a right  
3 to a home, which right shall not be denied or abridged  
4 by the United States or any State.”.

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